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Application No. 10/740,483
Reply to the Office action of August 23, 2005

File No.: 2993-389US JR/as Montréal, Canada

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS OFFICE

Application No. : 10/740,483 Confirmation No. 2075
Applicant : Ian MacFarlane et al
Filed : December 22, 2003
Art Unit : 3746
Title : GAS TURBINE ENGINE ARCHITECTURE
Examiner : Tae Jun Kim

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action of August 23, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 8 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including amended drawing figures is attached following page 11 of this paper.